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#### ENGLAND TO RESTRICT TRADE WITH HOSTILE INTERESTS

Bill Introduced in House of Commons by Lord Cecil Roberts.

London, Dec. 8, 5.35 p. m.—Further restrictions on trading with possible hostile interests are proposed in a bill formally presented to the house of commons this afternoon by Lord Robert Cecil, preliminary under-secretary for foreign affairs. The present restrictions are extended to persons to whom, though not residents of or carrying on business in enemy territory, it is by reason of their enemy nationality or associations expedient to extend such restrictions.

New Haven—Labor organizers here who were in charge of the strike attempt at the Winchester plant admitted Tuesday the failure of the movement and called off the strike.

#### 200 BELGIAN WOMEN AND CHILDREN IN NEW YORK

On Their Way to Chicago to Rejoin Members of Their Families.

New York, Dec. 8.—Two hundred Belgian women and children, in charge of the Rev. John de Nille, arrived here today on the steamer Nieuw Amsterdam on their way to Chicago, where they expect to rejoin members of their families from whom they have been separated since the war began. There was another delegation of about 100 Belgians who came here either to rejoin their families or to settle permanently.

East Haven—The local Masons are planning to hold their annual Sunday evening service next Sunday evening in the Old Stone church. They will be addressed by the pastor from West Haven.

## WESTERLY ELKS' MOCK TRIAL

Fun When Toastmaster is Accused of Purloining Venison—Unidentified Skeleton Buried—H. Henry Lanphear to Address Historical Society.

Westerly lodge of Elks had a banquet and genuine social session, following the business meeting, Wednesday night, in which John H. McCarthy, of national (biscuit) fame, was the bright shining light at the start, but his light flickered and was doused before the session closed. Mr. McCarthy, who was once known as the Mayor of Pleasant View, a practical joker, served as toastmaster, and was having a lot of sport at the expense of his brother Elks, when he was dragged from his high position by Chief of Police Tom Brown, on a charge of the theft of the venison, which, with an abundance of turkey, served as the mainstay of the banquet menu. The charge was preferred by George Albert Clark, recently returned from the Maine woods with a couple of deer. Soon after returning home with the game, McCarthy conceived the idea that it would be some joke to steal about forty pounds of Mr. Clark's venison, just as a joke, and serve it to Mr. Clark and the other Elks at the banquet. McCarthy's idea was communicated to Clark by his partner in business, E. Courtney, and the taking of the venison was made easy for McCarthy, with the aid of Bentley, the Elks' lawyer, who was the matter was a secret between himself and Bentley and he posed not only as toastmaster, but host at the banquet. As a matter of fact the playful theft was made known to every Elks at the banquet, and they were ready to apply to Chief Brown when the toastmaster was arrested.

A speedy trial was demanded by Clark and in a jury Judge Oliver H. Williams was in readiness to preside at the mock trial. A jury was empaneled, there were lawyers for the plaintiff and defendant, and the trial proceeded, witness after witness testifying for the plaintiff and there were none to support the plea of innocence made by McCarthy. True sport that he is, equally pleased with the joke upon himself as if he had played it on the other fellow, he entered into the fun and, regardless of judicial courtesy, he questioned the veracity of every witness and even that of the presiding chief justice. Of course the trial was by jury and some of the jurors even assisted counsel for the plaintiff in the prosecution.

The jury returned a verdict of guilty and the judge pronounced sentence. What was the sentence? Ask McCarthy, as the other Elks are pledged to secrecy on that matter.

power developed in the new vessel will be approximately 17,000 horsepower. The Matson Navigation company purchased Babcock and Wilcox boilers for their tug Navigator, in 1907 and the success of the boilers on this vessel, which first proceeded to San Francisco from Newport, Rhode Island, was such as to warrant the installation of Babcock and Wilcox boilers in 1912 in the Matsonia, a vessel of 19,000 tons displacement.

"In the Matsonia, however, it was considered advisable to install three Scotch boilers in addition to the six Babcock and Wilcox boilers, the idea being that the Scotch boilers would be better adapted for handling the deck winches than the Scotch boilers, and the latter were only used as spares, or to assist in developing maximum power in combination with the Babcock and Wilcox boilers when in free route. It was a natural development of the fact that the Babcock and Wilcox boilers and superheaters should be used entirely in the new ship, which will be a model of elegance, comfort and first class equipment in every way."

The civil suit brought by Albert A. Vaselet against Andrew J. Martin to recover \$15,000 for the death of his 12-year-old son, who was killed on the Watch Hill road by an automobile owned by Mr. Martin and driven by his chauffeur, Edmund A. Crosby, has been settled out of court by the insuring company paying Mr. Vaselet \$1,000, or several hundred dollars less than was offered by the insuring company before the suit was commenced.

William R. Dove, of Westerly, was adjudged bankrupt by Judge Brown, at a session of the United States District court, held at Westerly, Wednesday morning. According to the schedule filed with the voluntary petition of Mr. Dove, the liabilities amount to \$3,428.50, and the assets are placed at \$32.49.

Local Laconics.

Town meeting this morning to consider the rebuilding of the Watch Hill road.

Charles A. Morgan, Robert Drysdale and Horace Sisson left Westerly on Wednesday, for a trip to Norfolk, Va.

The skeleton found recently in Cedar Swamp and taken in charge by Undertaker Murphy was buried on Wednesday at River Bend.

The streets of Westerly were carpeted with snow for the first time this winter, Wednesday morning. But the rain came and swept the carpet away.

H. Henry Lanphear will tell of The Old Providence and New London Turnpike at the meeting this evening of the Westerly Historical society.

Charlestown probate court, upon petition of Elizabeth R. Card, overseer of the minor, committed the four minor children of John W. and Elizabeth McInnes to the State Home and School.

Ruth E. Phillips, age six, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Phillips, who was struck by an automobile several weeks ago and supposed to be fatally injured, has made almost complete recovery.

Howard M. Barber of Pawcatuck has been appointed administrator of the estate of his mother, C. Angeline Barber, by the Hopkinton probate court. Frank Hill of Ashaway, was named appraiser.

The inventory and appraisal of the estate of Deputy Sheriff George H. Barber has been received and ordered recorded in the probate court. The widow was allowed \$150 out of the estate for her support for six months.

Charles W. Willard, of Westerly, president of the Rhode Island Fisheries commission, has called a meeting for today at the state capitol, to consider estimates for the next year, to be presented to the general assembly.

When near the Shawswood place, in Stonington, Tuesday evening, the automobile owned by Amos S. Burdick, of Westerly, back-fired and was burned. The running gear was damaged, and Mr. Burdick believes the engine can be made good again.

The latest street talk is to the effect that the building now occupied by the Westerly Furniture company is to be converted into a hotel. The talk before was to the effect that the second floor was to be devoted to the movies and that the Elks were to lease the third floor.

At the Fellowship meeting of the Congregational church of Pawcatuck, Stonington, Myrtle Ledyard and North Stonington, held in the church at North Stonington, Wednesday, the sermon was delivered by Rev. Joseph L. Peacock of Westerly, who supplies the Road church, Stonington.

#### STONINGTON

Women's Relief Corps Elects Officers—Papers Read Before Travel Club—Countersuit in Squadrone Auto Case.

At the annual meeting of J. F. Trumbull Women's Relief corps officers were elected as follows: Mrs. Marguerite Thomas, president; Mrs. Julia Sheffield, senior vice president; Mrs. May Barnes, junior vice president; Mrs. Joseph Joseph, secretary; Mrs. Joseph L. Peacock, treasurer; Mrs. Sarah Holmes, chaplain; Mrs. Anna Bailey, conductor; Mrs. Mary Brayton, assistant conductor; Mrs. Lucy Browning, guard; Mrs. Frank Fairbrother, assistant guard; Mrs. Ida Chesbro, patriotic instructor; Mrs. Luella Gager, press correspondent; Mrs. Annette Lillibridge, organist; Mrs. Jennie Babcock, second color bearer; Mrs. Ida Chesbro, third color bearer; Mrs. Matilda Ide, fourth color bearer; Mrs. Ida Chesbro, delegate to state convention; Mrs. Luella Gager, alternate; Mrs. Joseph has been secretary of the corps 15 years.

Stonington Pointers.

The Cutler street marsh is to be drained through the old culvert to the Babcock pond and the harbor and a result there will be no flooded cellars from that cause.

Miss Jane Kiars read an interesting paper on Canadian Highways and Byways, and Miss Rose Studley read another on Landmarks on the Mississippi River at the regular meeting of the Stonington Travel club.

Schooner A. S. Kinderber, with lumber for the E. A. Sherman & A. K. Wharf in Stonington, is in a leaky condition. Pumps are continuously at work to keep the vessel free. Just as soon as the cargo is discharged repairs will be made.

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### BRIEF STATE NEWS

Hartford—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel P. Thresher of Chicago, formerly of Hartford, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Milford, to Dana Peabody Washburn.

Brantford—Circulars issued Tuesday at the Blackstone library announced that Samuel S. McClure is to lecture there next Monday night, on The Five Greatest Problems of Civilization.

Naugatuck—At a special meeting of the parish on Monday evening a call to the rectorship of St. Michael's

Episcopal parish in Naugatuck was extended to the Rev. George H. Heyn of Trinity parish, New Haven, to succeed the Rev. Charles L. Pardee, D. D., who resigned some weeks ago, after a six years' rectorship, to take up the secretaryship of the Church Building association.

New Haven—Joseph O'Connor of New Haven announces the engagement of his daughter, Irene Loretta, to John F. Kiernan, of New Haven, a graduate of Yale, 1915.

Southington—This morning the local dentists will meet with Superintendent of Schools E. C. Witham in his office in the Lewis high school. The meeting will be held in order to decide on the days the doctors will visit

the various schools in town to examine the children's teeth. The doctors have given their services free of charge in order to keep the school children from disease by keeping their teeth in good order.

West Haven—After four years as steward of the Phoenix club Robert S. Grant has resigned to take charge of the new Yale bowling alleys at the Yale gymnasium.

Niantic—James Craig of Quincy, Mass., who has purchased the boiler and engine that was in the Libby factory on York avenue, has moved it to his quarry in Roxbury.

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